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At Friday's @redeye chicago tweetup, I ...

Ana: ... haven't gone home yet. Check in with me tomorrow.

Scott: ... drank with one hand and tweeted with the other. Not as easy as it sounds.

Andre Alforque (@alforque): ... captured all the embarrassing moments and put them on Facebook.



What's the best thing about the Millennial Generation?

Ana: Short attention span—I never have to get too attached to any pop sensation.

Scott: They're so cute and tech-savvy.

Rebecca Allen (@bexinchicago): We're an endless supply of interns.



When I get really angry, I ...

Ana: ... do the Hokie-Pokie, and I turn myself around.

Scott: ... turn into the Hulk. Yep. It was always me.

Matthew Bartosik (@polomex): ... exercise. Judging from my figure, I'm a very happy person.

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TODAY'S FORECAST

Cool, cloudy and a chance of flurries



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Where's the sun?



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Green City Market

Lincoln Park

The market moves inside the museum for the winter months (through April 24). Shop for smaller amounts of fresh produce and also pantry items, such as artisanal cheeses, meats, fish and poultry, apples, root vegetables, baked goods, sauces, fresh pasta and more, from about 25-35 vendors. Chef demonstrations take place about four times daily during the winter markets. RSVP to attend chef demos: admin@chicagogreencitymarket.org. 8 a.m. Peggy Notebaert Nature Museum, 2430 N. Cannon Drive. 773-880-1266. Free.

The Vintage Bazaar

Lincoln Square

Shop more than 40 local vendors of vintage wares, gathered by two local vintage home decor bloggers, Katherine Raz of Back Garage and Libby Alexander of Alexander Salvage. Stock includes furniture, home accessories, clothing and accessories. Noon. DANK-Haus, 4740 N. Western Ave. 773-318-1760. Free.



The Oscar goes to ...

On the agenda: Meet the Oscars at The Shops at North Bridge, 520 N. Michigan Ave., 312-327-2300; theshopsatnorthbridge.com

Check it out if you ... have always dreamed of getting your hands on Oscar gold, are curious how the famous statuettes are crafted, need another channel for your Academy Awards excitement besides obsessing over your award picks.

The deets: Through March 7, you can view technical and acting Oscars dating to the 1930s at the mall's Nordstrom Court. The free exhibition, which is set up simultaneously in New York City, offers details on the making of the statuettes, which are manufactured in Chicago. You also can pose for a free picture holding the Academy Award that will be given to the 2010 Best Actor winner, though it will be sent off to L.A. on Friday. The exhibition is open during the regular mall hours of 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday.

The payoff: Feeling like a movie star.

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Criminal Class Press release party

Logan Square

The literary press celebrates the release of its fourth issue of "Criminal Class Review" with readings by contributors Lorn McKay, Brian Murphy and Windy City Story Slam founder Bill Hillmann and past contributors Marla Seidell, Windy City Story Slam 2009 champion Max Glaessner and Metromix contributor Julia Borcherts. Editor Kevin Whiteley hosts. 7:30 p.m. Weegee's Lounge, 3659 W. Armitage Ave. 773-384-0707. No cover.

Celebrate Poland

Navy Pier

The annual bash features Polish folk dancers, choral groups, storytellers, arts and crafts and food vendors. Noon. Navy Pier, 600 E. Grand Ave. 312-595-7437. Free.

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2010 IKC Cluster of Dog Shows

Near South Side

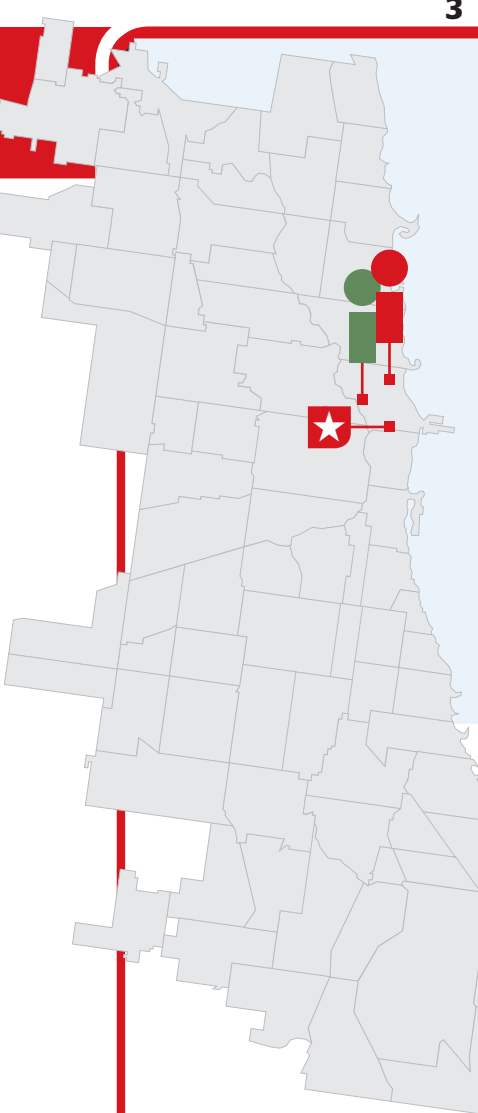
More than 10,000 purebred dogs from 161 breeds compete daily for the title of "best in show." Also features dog-related vendors, educational seminars, performance events, canine demonstrations and more. 8 a.m. Saturday; 8 a.m. Sunday. McCormick Place, 2301 S. Lake Shore Drive. 773-237-5100. \$17; free for kids ages 12 and under.

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Open Boxes Book Sale

Near North Side

Buy \$1 paperbacks and \$2 hardcovers to benefit Chicago literacy programs. For \$25, get an Open Books tote bag stuffed with all the books it can hold. 10 a.m. Saturday and Sunday. Open Books, 213 W. Institute Pl. 312-475-8243. Free.



THE GAMER

Who's playing at home



MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL UIC vs. Milwaukee

1 p.m. Saturday,
UIC Pavilion



Loyola vs. Green Bay

3 p.m. Saturday,
Gentile Center



Chicago State vs. South Dakota

4:30 p.m. Saturday,
Emil and Patricia Jones Convocation Center



IFL Slaughter vs. Rochester

7:05 p.m. Saturday,
Sears Centre Arena,
Hoffman Estates



AHL Wolves vs. Rockford

3 p.m. Sunday,
Allstate Arena,
Rosemont

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A CHILD WHO LOVES
THE THORNE ROOMS?

THE SIXTY-EIGHT ROOMS

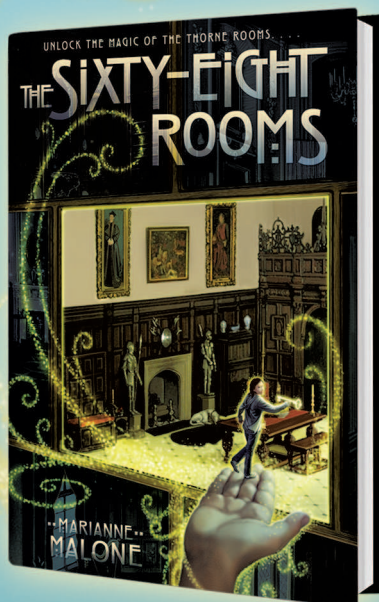
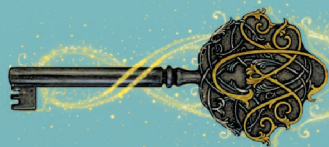


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Ruthie and her best friend, Jack, discover an enchanted key that allows them to explore the rooms' secrets. Ruthie never imagined a field trip could end up like this!



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Tweeter reader

If you had asked at the beginning of the week which celebrities should create Twitter accounts and share with the world the minutiae of their lives, we would have picked Conan O'Brien and Ozzie Guillen. And what do you know? The former late-night talk show host and motor-mouthed White Sox manager signed up—and they are just as entertaining as we hoped! Check out these tweets copied directly from their accounts. Can you match each tweet with the tweeter?



Conan O'Brien



Ozzie Guillen

1 "This morning I watched Remington Steele while eating Sugar Smacks out of a salad bowl. I was naked."

2 "I just finished dinner..I still got it.....BBQ."

3 "Looking for tickets to go to wrestlemania, I need help with that, they r way too expensive"

4 "Today I interviewed a squirrel in my backyard and then threw to commercial. Somebody help me."

5 "Thinking about running for mayor."

Answers: 1-Conan; 2-Ozzie; 3-Ozzie; 4-Conan; 5-Neither, but you wanted it to be Ozzie, didn't you?

TRIVIA TIME!

We tested you in Friday's edition with a trivia question. If you were reading RedEye during the week, you should have been able to spot the correct answer. Did you?



Who is Dan Coudreaut?
A. The head chef at McDonald's who recently created the MacSnack Wrap.
B. The surprise Olympic gold medalist in the giant slalom.
C. The Toyota executive who testified in Washington.
D. The man who popped the question to Hilary Duff with a ring worth a reported \$1 million.

Answer: A

Heat index

RedEye takes the temperature of current events



Winter Olympics
Ending so soon?



Millennials study
Generation Text



Health-care summit
In high definition



Airport body scans
Exhibitionists rejoice!



Northeast storms
Mother Nature is angry



'Idol' performances
Poor, poor Simon

Freakout hall of fame

Turns out, the customer isn't always right. When they can't have it their way, some fast-food patrons turn into super-size nightmares who resort to violence, 911 calls and even hanging from trees. RedEye rounded up some of the worst fast-food meltdowns. **E.S.**

MELTDOWN KEY



Verbal
abuse Violence Arrest



McDonald's in Fort Pierce, Fla.

April 2008



Motive: Unknown

A 24-year-old woman was accused of forcing her way behind the counter to rough up a teenage cashier while demanding she be fired, then went into the parking lot to hang upside-down from a tree, according to a police report.



Taco Bell in Miami

October 2009



Motive: Couldn't order a burrito

When a man rolled up about 45 minutes after his neighborhood Taco Bell had closed for the night, he opened fire on the manager who delivered the bad news. The frightening incident was captured on surveillance video.



Dunkin' Donuts in North Providence, R.I.

October 2007



Motive: Drive-through road rage

A 27-year-old woman seriously lost her cool after she was honked at while in the drive-through. In response, she threatened the honker with a crowbar and pulled her hair through the driver's-side window, police said.



McDonald's in Aloha, Ore.

May 2009

Motive: Incomplete order

Oh, the horror! When a McDonald's employee left an orange juice out of his drive-through order, a 21-year-old man called 911 to report the offense. He spent the night in jail and was fined \$300 on charges of improper use of 911.



McDonald's in Peoria

March 2009



Motive: Incomplete sandwich

Illinois is not immune to the bad behavior. Angered that his McGriddle was missing the egg, a man threw the hot breakfast sandwich into the face of a drive-through worker. The case was picked up and broadcast around the Web by **thesmokinggun.com**.

SOURCES: TCPALM.COM, MIAMINEWTIMES.COM, PROJO.COM, OREGONLIVE.COM, THESMOKINGGUN.COM

Meltdown management

Tolerance tops a tantrum every time if you want to get your way

By Erin M. Sarris

FOR REDEYE

Frankie Silva's co-worker was on his last nerve, his wife had picked a fight that morning, and he was late getting back from his lunch break last month. So when the paralegal's sandwich at a Loop deli—usually about \$6—totaled more than \$10, it was the mild-mannered sandwich artist who absorbed the brunt of his verbal smackdown.

Silva shouted at the cashier who charged him for extra turkey, avocado and salsa. Not done yet, Silva proceeded to unwrap his sandwich, scoop out the extras with his bare hands and slap them down on the counter before demanding to be charged regular price.

When a police officer waiting in line asked him to go quietly or risk arrest for disturbing the peace, Silva left the store without a sandwich—and with a little less dignity.

"It took me about 30 minutes before I started feeling really bad about it," said Silva, 28, who lives in the northwest suburb of Harwood Heights. "I took out a really horrible day on people that didn't deserve it over a couple dollars."

Though Silva was fortunate enough to avoid arrest, a handful of furious folks around the country have had the misfortune of staging spectacular public meltdowns that were taped and went viral, involved police or even ended up in court. With news stories emerging seemingly every week about angry customers roughing up managers at grocery stores and throwing sandwiches at fast-food cashiers, it's fair to wonder just what on earth is wrong.

Dr. Leonard Ingram, a psychotherapist and founder of The Anger Institute of Chicago, attributes the recent wave in public temper tantrums to societal shifts toward egotism and unrealistic expectations.

"It almost seems un-American for us to not get our way," he told RedEye. "We have become consumers of immediate gratification, and when desires and expectations are not met, we're upset with whoever we think is wronging us."



Hairstylist Joie Wells says being calm and realistic will help correct missteps at the salon. **ANDREW A. NELLES FOR REDEYE**

It's a disturbing trend for the targets of the verbal and (sometimes) physical assaults.

Joie Wells, a hairdresser at Mistress of the Arts Salon in Oak Park, said he couldn't sleep at night after a high-maintenance client stopped him mid-cut and stormed out of the salon because she was unhappy with the results.

"I definitely felt horrible about it even after I left work," said Wells, 23. "I'm in the service industry and I'm trying to help you look and feel your best, but there's only so much I can do."

With life's daily pressures just begging to bring out the deluded diva in anyone, RedEye asked the experts how to keep routine stresses from turning normally level-headed Chicagoans into America's Next Top YouTube Sensations.

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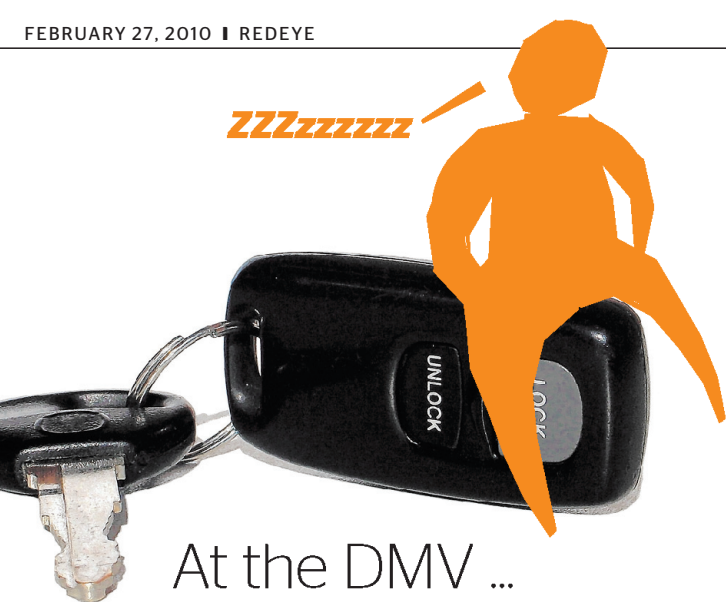
Tantrums dissected

Your heart is racing, your hands are trembling and you can feel an embarrassing outburst on the tip of your tongue. Before losing your cool, take notes from anger management specialist Dr. Leonard Ingram, who told RedEye how to recognize—and avoid—an impending meltdown. **E.S.**

Warning signs

When you experience any of these symptoms, consider it a memo from your body that you're headed toward the danger zone.

- » Increase in heartbeat
- » Rush of adrenaline
- » Clenching fists
- » Throbbing headaches
- » Biting your lips or clenching your jaw



At the DMV ...

What boils your blood: You're in automotive hell, with a line out the door and employees who'd rather discuss last night's "Law and Order" episode than keep the mobs moving along.

Keep your cool: Repeat this mantra: "It's not about me."

Meltdown, avoided: Glacially paced lines and other bureaucratic nuisances are not the result of a cruel world conspiring against you. Ingrim advises accepting the reality of the moment and avoiding thoughts about how aggravating or unfair the situation is. "Take the circumstances for what they are—irrelevant annoyances that have nothing to do with you and aren't worth your energy and stress," he said. By not taking it personally, you can find your happy place—even if you do have to take a number to get there.



On the job ...

What boils your blood: Times are tough and those pointless office meetings are never-ending. You've been charged with doing more with less, which makes you teeter dangerously close to lashing out at your co-workers.

Keep your cool: Make a list of alternatives, and check it twice.

Meltdown, avoided: Making a scene at work is not the end of the world, but it may be the end of your job, said career coach Jeffrey Sumber of Creative Counseling of Chicago. He advises making a list of things you can do instead of acting out—examples include phoning a friend, taking a long lunch, writing a (private) blog entry or calculating how many dollars you'll make for the rest of the month if you can stay at your job. Your colleagues—and your pocket book—will appreciate your cool-headedness.



At the salon ...

What boils your blood: You're long overdue for a haircut, and the only stylist who can fit you in is one you've never tried before. Unfortunately, your request for "The Kate Hudson" results in a look more fit for Kate Gosselin, and you're *not* pleased.

Keep your cool: Play it straight and keep it professional, or run the risk of making it worse.

Meltdown, avoided: Creative types by nature, most stylists do not respond well to raised voices or tears, Wells said. "If you freak out, you'll freak us out too, and we can lose our creativity," he said. Tell the stylist in a calm and straightforward voice what you're displeased about and how they can help. Also, be realistic. Bringing in a picture of a platinum blonde Victoria's Secret model will not do you any favors if it doesn't mesh with the features of your own hair.



Outside a nightclub ...

What boils your blood: You and your buddies are on the wrong side of the velvet rope, and the bar's bouncer keeps nudging you to the back of the line to make room for regulars and ladies.

Keep your cool: Laugh it off if you're not on the list.

Meltdown, avoided: If you're all dressed up with no place to go, yelling or making threats to the bouncer is surefire way to *never* get inside, said Benjamin Newby, director of communications for The Underground in River North. "If we see that you're a positive, cheerful person and you respect the door guys, they'll know you're good for the atmosphere of the club," he said. Making polite conversation and handing your business card to the bouncer also can make it more likely he'll slip your crew past the ropes next time you're there, Newby said.



At a restaurant ...

What boils your blood: Your favorite restaurant is packed and your server is just as busy, except in her case she is too consumed with texting to be bothered with taking your order.

Keep your cool: Confront the staff, but with kindness and compliments.

Meltdown, avoided: If you're not getting a response from your waiter, a few kind words can go a long way, said Nick Panagos, manager of Penny's Noodle Shop in Wrigleyville. "Saying something like, 'I realize you must be so busy, but can you please bring me extra napkins?' shows the server you aren't just making crazy demands," he said. If your friendliness isn't enough for them to ditch the 'tude, ask to speak—in a respectful and calm tone, of course—to the manager, who has a lot more incentive to make your experience right.

Simmer down, now

Once you've recognized the signs, take these steps to keep tantrums at bay.

» Take deep breaths:

Practicing deep, yoga-style breaths can help calm your body's stress signals.

» Keep positive company:

Recent studies indicate your friends influence your ability to control yourself, so spend time with those who are emotionally balanced.

» Be aware that stress is real:

Anger and rage are powerful emotions that can make you physically ill. Ask yourself, "Is this scenario really worth jeopardizing my health?"

» **Quiet the voices:** Stewing over rhetorical questions such as "Why is the cashier moving so slowly?" can cause you to chatter yourself into a fit of rage. Stop the self-talk.

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WHAT'S
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BY LISA BALDE

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BID IT

Dr. Wax farewell

'Hood: Bronzeville

Say goodbye to Dr. Wax, the locally iconic Hyde Park record store and avid supporter of Chicago hip-hop, jazz and soul scenes, as it closes its doors after 30 years. Musicians Julie Dexter, Innosphere, All Natural, Zzaje and others gather to send off the shop at the blowout **Farewell Celebration concert** (McCormick Auditorium at Illinois Institute of Technology, 3241 S. Federal St.) and also honor WHPK-FM 88.5 DJ JP Chill, who retired in December after 23 years. Shake your booty in record-store solidarity, then hightail it to the **Shrine** (2109 S. Wabash Ave.), where an after-party (10 p.m.) includes tunes from Fly Phoenix, JC Brooks and the Uptown Sound, and DJ Tone B Nimble.

When: 7 p.m. Sunday

Cash: \$15-\$20; tickets: **afinalgoodbye.eventbrite.com**; enter "DRWAX2010" for \$5 off



Reggie Watts

HEAR IT

Reggie Watts

'Hood: Lakeview

There's still time to scoop up tickets for the stream-of-consciousness joyride that is Seattle-based comedian Reggie Watts' strand-up routine at **Lakeshore Theater** (3175 N. Broadway, 773-472-3492). Melding '80s pop, opera, dancing, looped beat boxing and other forms of hilarity that Watts invents mid-performance, the seat-of-pants-flying style of this award-winning comedian and recent Funny or Die UK collaborator is sure to keep you on your toes. And considering Watts already will have completed two Friday performances by the time you see him Saturday, he's sure to be warmed up and ready to open the floodgates.

When: 7:30 and 10:30 p.m. Saturday

Cash: \$18



Peaceable Kingdom

PRACTICE IT

St. Patrick's Day

'Hood: Streeterville

The big, green Irish-loving holiday still is a few weeks away, but don't let that stop you from warming up your pint-pumping muscles. Join fellow St. Patrick's Day drinkers-in-training at the **St. Practice Day Pub Crawl** (start: Timothy O'Toole's, 622 N. Fairbanks Ct. 312-642-0700), traversing five Streeterville pubs. Your reward for practicing: drink specials at each bar, an early run on green swag thanks to free hats, necklaces and buttons, and the best reason to start toasting March 17 early, no cover to join the crawl. Consider yourself officially prepared for St. Patrick's Day revelry.

When: 8 p.m. Saturday

Cash: No cover

WATCH IT

Peace on Earth Film Festival

'Hood: Loop

Take a break from the week's DVR pileup in favor of a broader world outlook via independent, international films with messages of nonviolence, eco-responsibility and social justice. This free short-form festival screens 34 films (picked from a batch of nearly 200) at **Chicago Cultural Center** (78 E. Washington St. 312-744-6630). Chosen features include stories about an Israeli military check point ("Kalandia"), a 16-year-old AIDS orphan ("Home Is Where You Find It"), farms and farm animals ("Peaceable Kingdom"), and many more. Films are shown in blocks throughout the day.

When: 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Saturday; 12-9 p.m. Sunday

Cash: Free; arrive early to guarantee a seat

EAT IT

Chicken wings

'Hood: West Loop

Juicy, spicy and barbecue goodness awaits in the form of all-you-can-eat chicken wings at the 11th annual **Chicago WingFest** (Stephen M. Bailey Auditorium, 1340 W. Washington Blvd. **wingfest.net**). Be there to taste competing wings from 21 local bars and restaurants in categories ranging from hot to exotic and the coveted Best of Festival. General-admission tickets (\$24) cover as many wings as you can shovel in, plus a raffle, giveaways and music by Cadillac Dave & Chicago Redhots. A portion of ticket sales will be donated to the Chicago Neighbors United.

When: 1 p.m. Sunday

Cash: \$24

VOTE IT

Chicago-style wings

In the spirit of WingFest, Metromix asked five past festival winners to create a Chicago-style wing. Log onto **metromix.com** to vote for the wing that best represents the city. Choose from Burgundy Glazed Wings (CrossRoads Public House), Little Italy-style Giardiniera Wings (Timothy O'Toole's, below), Spicy ChiWings (Mahoney's), Chicago Wings (Wings Around the World) and Chicken Vesuvio Wings (Bull & Bear). Your favorite wing will get a temporary place on the winning bar's menu. Hurry, voting ends Sunday!



On our radar:

» Drinks Over Dearborn rally:

Reaching the end of his "500 Benjamins or

Bust" campaign, owner Kyle McHugh hosts an in-store party and Webcast (**drinksoverdearborn.com**) starting at 5 p.m. Saturday to raise enough cash to avoid closing the store (650 N. Dearborn St.). Stop by for food, performances, beer convos and more.

the juice

Tocco

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(2.5 out of 4 eggs)

LOVED IT:

Luxuriously attentive service

HATED IT:

A too-hot-to-hold latte in a handle-less glass

BRUNCH TIME:

10 a.m.-3 p.m. Sunday

COST: About \$30-\$35 per person with cocktail, tax and tip

WAIT: None

Can't touch this

By Lisa Arnett

We adore eggs Benedict. And we've got nothing against a tall stack of french toast. But for the Sunday mornings you think you might die of boredom if you have to face another round of brunch basics, Tocco (which means "touch" in Italian) has an antidote.

This sleek and artsy Wicker Park eatery has been turning out pizzas and shareable Italian plates for more than a year now. On the just-launched brunch menu, which features 10 simple dishes, head chef Victor Striegel draws inspiration from Italy's different regions.

Consider ordering a few plates to share. Dishes that lean toward being one-dimensional on their own are much more satisfying when contrasted with others. Grilled and then slow-roasted fennel-flecked sausage (\$8) is served Milanese-style with red and yellow peppers and a simple sauce of tomato, garlic and white wine. It's a pleasantly acidic foil to richer pasta dishes, including spaghetti pie (\$9), which takes traditional Roman spaghetti carbonara and bakes it



into a fried egg-topped frittata of sorts, and a Naples-inspired lasagna (\$10) layered with egg whites, peas, fresh mozzarella and pomodoro sauce.

Our favorite plate was a trio of large made-to-order ravioli (\$12, above), each bursting with truffled ricotta and a perfectly cooked egg yolk, resting in a brown butter-sage sauce. Our only misstep: eating the bread with olive oil that arrived at the start of the meal, just as it does during dinner service. If we'd held off, we would have had room to eat more of it, dipped in our leftover egg yolk and brown butter—and the flavorful red sauce from that sausage dish too.



Tocco
BARRY BRECHEISEN FOR METROMIX

In addition to fruity mimosas (strawberry, peach and berry, as well as traditional orange), Italian twists on brunch cocktails include a bloody mary garnished with basil and mozzarella, and Campari shaken with fresh-squeezed OJ and served martini-style (all \$10).

Since the 3-week-old brunch still is largely undiscovered, it's perfect for a

quiet, leisurely date, brunch with the girls or a treat for your parents. Once the weather warms and the garage doors on one side of the dining room are open onto the patio, we're sure the scene will change drastically.

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BACK IN BLACK

Cash in a scene from the film
"Johnny Cash at Folsom Prison"

By Glenn Gamboa

NEWSDAY

The Man in Black did not fade. Now, more than six years after his death, "American VI: Ain't No Grave" arrives as spectacular proof.

True to the mythology that has risen around him, Johnny Cash never backed down—not even to death.

In his final days, Cash, along with collaborator-producer Rick Rubin and a small group of trusted musicians, sang about his life and his future. He

transformed Sheryl Crow's "Redemption Day" into a thunderous warning with the power of his voice and delivery. He made Tom Paxton's "Can't Help But Wonder Where I'm Bound" feel like a thank-you note. And Red Hayes and Jack Rhodes' "Satisfied Mind" takes on an air of defiance, a straightforward declaration that is nearly the opposite of Jeff Buckley's fluttery, otherworldly, jazzy take. When Cash sings, "I'll leave this old world with a satisfied mind," he means it.

Even more telling, though, is the Cash original "I Corinthians 15:55," where he makes the Bible verse—"O death, where is thy sting? Oh grave, where is thy victory?"—feel like a taunt. It's stunning stuff made all the more impressive by the fact that it was recorded so shortly after the death of his beloved wife, June Carter Cash, and so shortly before his own.

"Ain't No Grave" chronicles the end of Cash's legendary career, but it's so lovingly delivered that it sounds like the start of something new.



ALBUM
**American VI:
Ain't No Grave**

Johnny Cash



LOVE IT

TV The 39 Steps

8 p.m. Sunday, WTTW

No matter what era they work in, spies deliver the goods like no other movie heroes. Richard Hannay, as played by suave Rupert Penry-Jones, is no exception. Framed for murder and relentlessly pursued by German agents and police, the accidental spy and his accomplice, Victoria Sinclair, must unravel a secret code to prevent an attack on Britain at the onset of World War I. I haven't seen Alfred Hitchcock's famous film of John Buchan's novel to compare, but this "Masterpiece" adaptation kept me on the edge of my seat.

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DVD AND BLU-RAY The Informant!

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A fascinating white-collar expose, "The Informant!" stars Matt Damon as Mark Whiteacre, an ambitious executive at Archer Daniels Midland, which is manufacturing a new food additive. Damon, who put on 30 pounds for the role, turns in a stellar performance as a guy whose brain seemingly functions in a different zone than those of most people. The multilayered film, set in 1992, can be viewed as a thriller, a comedy or a crime drama or all three at once.

DOUG NYE, MCT

ALBUM Of Men and Angels

The Rocket Summer

The Rocket Summer's Bryce Avary establishes himself as a formidable rock force. He packs esteem-building anthems ("You Gotta Believe") with memorable, indie-leaning pop melodies and rock-oriented guitar. There's inventiveness too—lyrically, in the crafty piano pop of "Japanese Exchange Student," and musically, in the welding of '80s U2-ish guitar to '00s post-emo in "Pull Myself Together."

GLENN GAMBOA, NEWSDAY

LIKE IT

GAME Star Trek Online

\$50 with \$15-per-month subscription fee, for the PC

The "Star Trek" franchise embarks on a bold journey into the massively multiplayer online realm in a game that excels in space combat but falls short in other areas. "Star Trek Online" thrives when multiple ships crisscross through space while exchanging phaser fire and photon torpedoes. The battles look spectacular, and piloting a starship around a planet while dodging enemy fire is both challenging and enjoyable. But the frenzied pace hits the brakes when combat moves to the ground.

DIRK LAMMERS, AP



LOATHE IT

TV Beauty and the Beasts: A Dark Tale

8 p.m. Saturday, Syfy

Parents, this is not that "Beauty and the Beast." Estella Warren plays Belle, who wears skimpy peasant clothes and gets called a trollop so many times I thought it was her name. In this fractured fairy tale, she encounters Beast (Victor Parascos), evil Count Rudolph (Rhett Giles), witch Lady Helen (Vanessa Gray) and a troll. It sounds like wonderfully campy B-movie fun, but I laughed only at the low-budget effects showing blood spurting from several limbs. "A Dark Tale" is beastly. CURT WAGNER, REDEYE



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Eco-drinking game: water conservation

Living next to a lake that is so big it might as well be an ocean, it's easy to forget that there are parts of the world—and even places within the U.S.—where water scarcity is a problem.

According to the World Health Organization, almost 20 percent of the world's population lives in areas where water is physically scarce—and 1 in 3 people on each continent are affected.

In comparison, Istentonyourlakes.org (part of the Shedd Aquarium's conservation initiative) says the Great Lakes contain almost a fifth of the world's freshwater supply, of which 157 billion gallons are used annually—and only 1 percent is replenished.

So despite the fact that Lake Michigan's supplies seem endless, they're not. That's where you come in. By making small changes in your daily routine, you could save thousands of gallons of water a year. Try a few of these tips.

» Turn off the water while you're brushing your teeth and applying soap to your hands. Do the same in the shower.

» Wait until you have a full load of laundry/dishes before turning on the washing machine/dishwasher. And to save a little energy, use cold water when possible and let the dishes and clothes dry naturally.



» If you don't have a dishwasher, rather than leaving the water running, fill the sink with soapy water and rinse when everything has been cleaned.

» Collect water you've rinsed fruits and vegetables in and use it on the plants around your house. The same goes for anything left in your glass after a meal.

» An efficient shower head can save up to 750 gallons a month, and taking one or two minutes off your time in the tub can save up to another 150 gallons monthly, according to wateruseitwisely.com.

» Volunteer to help clean up the beach. OK, that doesn't really help water scarcity, but it does help save the animals and plant life that live in Lake Michigan. Plus, volunteering reduces the amount of energy required to clean it up later.



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**THE GHOST
WRITER**
(PG-13)



THE CRAZIES
(R)



'Ghost Writer' haunted by disappointing end

A tense thriller that ultimately slips away, "The Ghost Writer" attempts to achieve a behind-closed-doors intensity that never matches the crisp secrecy of a film like "Michael Clayton." Roman Polanski ("The Pianist") directed and adapted the script with Robert Harris from Harris' novel, and the film begins with intrigue: A popular ghost writer (Ewan McGregor) accepts the task of finishing an ex-British prime minister's (Pierce Brosnan) memoirs, even though the last guy hired for the task died under mysterious circumstances. But the botched ending is as blatantly problematic as the distracting dub job that was done to bring the movie to a PG-13 rating.



Kim Cattrall and Ewan McGregor in 'The Ghost Writer'

'Crazies' doesn't know when to stop

After a chilling opening, this remake of George A. Romero's 1973 film settles into a standard us-against-them paranoid thriller, without a terrifying vision or compelling characters to keep us on edge throughout. What's also missing is a claustrophobic sense of madness, diluted once "The Crazies" turns into a chase movie across open fields. The best, creepiest aspect of "The Crazies" is accentuating the horror of a town's unexplainable psychotic behavior and the resulting chaos. Then the movie explains why people are becoming monsters, multiplies it by some heavy-handed military shtick and loses a lot of the steam it starts with.

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ROSEMONT 10451 W. TOUHY	\$675	WEBCB322330	APARTMENT
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SCHAUMBURG SCHAUMBURG RD. & SPRINGUTH	\$980	WEBCB308385	QUAD
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Apt For Rent—City North			
ALBANY PARK 10451 W. KEDZIE	\$845	WEBCB322218	APARTMENT
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SALES CHECK

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SALES AND EVENTS**Gregory Gaymont
Studio & Gallery**3948 N. Southport Ave.;
773-935-2971; gaymont.com

The shop features the "Heart" print series (\$200 each or \$700 for all four designs) from Bill Moran through Sunday. A portion of pre-sales goes to the American Heart Association.

Urban Spa Chic1401 W. Hubbard St.; 312-492-8050;
urbanspachic.com

Save 30 percent on Bare Essentials through Sunday.

Green Home Experts823 S. Oak Park Ave., Oak Park;
708-660-1443; ghexperts.com

The store celebrates two years with product demonstrations, snacks and complimentary 15-minute design consultations on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Mali
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OFF**

Take 20 percent off everything through Sunday. Enter promo code "20" to get the discount online.

White Chicago222 W. Huron St.; 312-397-1571;
whitechicago.com

The Original Traveling Photo Booth (**thetravelingphotobooth.com**), in conjunction with a Lori London trunk show, debuted in Chicago at White Chicago on Friday. From 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, guests receive a photo strip from the photo booth and 10 percent off any Lori London purchase.

Chicago Mart Plaza350 W. Mart Center;
312-836-5000; martplaza.com

The hotel offers a Winter Blues package through April 4. The package includes an overnight stay, parking, entry to the Back Porch Stage for the "Late Night Blues" show at the House of Blues and a "Best of the Blues" CD; from \$109 per night. To receive the deal online, enter promo code "IKOTHBLU" at checkout.

no color necessary

hot stuff

When it comes to color pairings, few work better than the classic black and white. Keep it a central theme or use it as a subtle backdrop to showcase brilliant pops of color. Either way, it's always a chic choice.

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Crop topVila crop tweed jacket,
\$44.38 at asos.com

A boucle jacket doesn't have to be an old-lady staple. Wear it in a cropped length with jeans for a 2010 look.

**Dress
as canvas**Paint stripe tunic,
\$60 at topshop.com

The abstract print on this tunic will satisfy painting enthusiasts.

**Where
it's mat**Crown bath rug, \$69-89
at ballarddesigns.com

Let these fun bath mats spoil the king and queen of the house.

**Accessories that talk**Betsey Johnson "Miami Chic"
stripe drop earrings,
\$35 at Nordstrom

A quirky pair of earrings is a good conversation starter. This pair is first-date approved!

**All spark, no bite**K Studio Dog Pillow,
\$110 at 2modern.com

A funny pillow in a classic palette will look great on a brightly colored chair or couch.

Laser sharpLaser cut rose print
dress, \$178 at White
House Black Market

This classically cut dress is made modern with a bold print and horizontal strips of fabric sewn together from top to bottom.

**Apron
string theory**The lady's apron, \$32
at Anthropologie

Stay clean and stylish while you cook with this apron.



Tyler Knight, 28, who founded Windy City Ski with his brother, schusses down Cascade Mountain in Portage, Wis.

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CATCH A SKI LIFT

CHICAGO SKIERS DAY TRIPPIN' OVER SHUTTLE RIDE TO WISCONSIN

Chicago Tribune

They emerged out of the predawn darkness, an assortment of not-yet-cafeinated people toting ski clothes and Starbucks cups. Precisely at the scheduled time of 6:15 a.m., a coach bus pulled up, its cushy seats promising a fine nap. At 6:30 they were off, heading to Cascade Mountain on the Windy City Ski bus.

Windy City Ski is a new chartered coach service that picks up skiers and snowboarders in the early morning on the North Side, drives them up to Cascade Mountain or Devil's Head Resort, both in Wisconsin, and drives them back the same day.

For \$49 to \$119, depending on whether you also buy lift tickets, rental and a lesson, you can show up at one of two North Side pickup spots. About three hours later, you and your new buddies are at the slopes. At 5:30 p.m. you board the bus home.

"There's no other service like this in Chicago," said Becky Conklin, 26, a University of Illinois at Chicago student. "And living in Chicago, if you don't have a car, this is the only way to go skiing."



Anna Weber, 24, of Lincoln Park, prepares to leave the bus and hit the slopes at Cascade Mountain.

Day-trip ski buses are a staple in cities such as New York and San Francisco but are not common in Chicago.

Other options are few in the city. Ski clubs

IF YOU GO

Windy City Ski runs day bus trips every weekend to Cascade Mountain in Portage, Wis., or Devil's Head Resort in Merrimac, Wis. The bus leaves from Clark and Division streets between 5:45 and 6 a.m. and from Fullerton and Sheffield avenues between 6:15 and 6:30 a.m.

Getting started: To sign up or get more information, visit windycityski.com. The sign-up deadline is 4 p.m. Thursday, but later sign-ups are welcome if space is available. For transportation alone, the cost is \$49; for bus and lift ticket, \$89; for bus, lift ticket and lesson, \$99;

for bus, lift ticket and rental, \$109; and for bus, lift ticket, rental and lesson, \$119.

Getting skis: If you want to avoid the hassle of renting at the slope and are willing to pay \$10 extra, you can rent your equipment in Chicago at Viking Ski Shop (vikingskishop.com, 773-276-0732) and take it on the bus. For \$30, you can be fitted with boots and skis in advance, pick them up Friday and return them Sunday.

Getting acquainted: Don't hesitate to go alone. This is a welcoming crowd, even to a 50-something suburban mom. On the bus, you're all boarders and skiers.

run Midwest ski trips for their members but not day trips.

The Blizzard Ski & Snowboard School runs day trips from various Chicago-area pickup spots nearly every Saturday this winter, but its program is for 8- to 18-year-olds, and the trips are to the much smaller Wilmot Mountain, just over the Wisconsin border.

Windy City Ski serves a day-trip clientele.

On a recent weekend, the bus provided bagels, cream cheese, granola bars and cold drinks. Someone passed around Baileys Irish

cream to add to coffee. A few hardy partiers opened morning beers.

Back on the bus after a day of skiing, the exhausted riders watched "ski porn"—aka a video of extreme and heli-skiing—on the bus' video monitors.

"Last week we took a vote on what movie to watch," said David Knight, 31, who founded Windy City Ski with his 28-year-old brother, Tyler. "Everyone was really excited. We put it on and five minutes later, everyone was asleep."

sports



Here's what I'm watching this weekend:

NBA
Bulls at Indiana
6 p.m. Saturday, WGN

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Northwestern at Penn State
11 a.m. Sunday,
Big Ten Network



WINTER OLYMPICS
Men's hockey bronze-medal game
9 p.m. Saturday, MSNBC

Men's hockey gold-medal game
2:15 p.m. Sunday, NBC

five on one

Only four more years until we care about curling again. Sign up for weekday Five on Five at redye.chicago.com/facebookfives.

HOOTH

This ice- and snow-covered planet in the "Star Wars" universe certainly looks the part of a place the Winter Olympics could be held.

Advantages: Vancouver has lacked snow, but that wouldn't be a problem on Hoth.

Disadvantages: You could run into that big Yeti creature that almost killed Luke Skywalker; the commute to the Outer Rim would be a pain in the butt; it's fictional.

Verdict: A snowball's chance in hell.



WASILLA, ALASKA

The '90s show "Northern Exposure" proved everyone loves quaint Alaskan towns with wacky characters.

Advantages: No sales tax!

Disadvantages: Small population; Sarah Palin's stigma still is attached.

Verdict: Probably the same odds as a "Northern Exposure" reunion show at this point.

GETTY IMAGES/FILE PHOTO



CHICAGO

The Summer Olympics reject should get a shot at the Winter Games too, right?

Advantages: Frigid winters; big enough to accommodate the crowds; used to Olympics bids by now.

Disadvantages: Not exactly a downhill skier's paradise.

Verdict: Can't be any worse than the first go-round with the IOC.

AP PHOTO



Hoop dreams

Which frigid locales deserve a shot at the Olympic rings?

By Ryan Smith
FOR REDEYE

Vancouver has been a nice host for the Winter Olympics—pretty scenery, laid-back locals, conveniently located for Americans—but are there cold-weather locations that might be even better destinations to stage the games?

Some jokesters are petitioning for Hoth, the ice world in the "Star Wars" movies (hoth2014.com), to serve as the 2014 host. (Fools! Don't they know the Russian resort city of Sochi, perched on the Black Sea, already has those games locked up?)

Still, it's never too early to start thinking about 2018. RedEye imagines some frosty spots as Olympic hosts.

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THE TOPIC

How can you tell the Winter Olympics is almost over?

The arena workers lay the basketball tile over the ice in the middle of a skating routine.


I'm seeing less luge and more Leno on NBC. I don't like it.

Shani Davis' heat no longer melts the ice.

Shaun "The Flying Tomato" White is now known as "The Moldy Tomato."

Canada already has conceded the medal count in the 2012 Olympics.

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FRIDAY'S SOLUTIONS

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- ACROSS
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Pair of oxen
- 5

Miniature
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Housetop
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Gem that emits rainbow colors
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Not to be done
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Paquin
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Filthy, sticky matter
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Surprising
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Beast of burden
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Stain
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The ones over there
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Oscar hopeful
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That girl
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One of Santa's reindeer
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Resides
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Take the lid off
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Clip wool
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Sigh of relief
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Blender speed
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Metallic ringing sound
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Capable
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Doctor's bag
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Grain for grinding
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Place for linoleum
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Young swan
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Masters
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Unprocessed
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High-IQ group
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Panama hat material
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Street
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Even score
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Change
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Saucer-shaped bell
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Cousin's mom
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Book spine info
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Killer whale
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Piece of asparagus
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Actress _ Cannon

DOWN

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Eastern relaxation technique

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Musical work

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Missouri's largest metropolis

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Elegant estate

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Aid in crime

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Bagel topper

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Cut off

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One of Jacob's wives

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Aware of the duplicity of

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Individuals

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Lose color

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Old anesthetic

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Tread

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Scorch

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_ lamp; pool table overhang

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Nightfall

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Caper

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Fender-bender memento

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Scientist's workplace

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Beauty parlor

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Narrow cut

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Possesses

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Towel word

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Work team

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"Woe is me!"

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Chews

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_ off; repel

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Ulysses & Amy

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Less fatty

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Money, slangily

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Puncture

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Factual

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Carry on

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Ceremony

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Peruvian Indian

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Actor Richard

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"If _ all the same to you..."

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Suggestion

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Creator

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KAKURO

EDITED BY MICHAEL MEPHAM

Enter a number between 1 and 9 in the empty squares. The clues are the numbers in the white circles that give the sum of the solution numbers: above the line are across clues; below the line are down clues. Thus, a clue of 3 will produce a solution of 2 and 1, and a 5 will produce 4 and 1, or 2 and 3, but, of course, which squares they go in will depend on the solution of a clue in the other direction. No digit can be repeated in a solution. Answer at redyechicago.com/puzzles.

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SCRABBLE

Make a 2- to 7-letter word from the letters in each row. Add points of each word, using scoring directions at right. Finally, 7-letter words get a 50-point bonus. "Blanks" used as any letter have no point value. All the words are in the Official Scrabble Players Dictionary, 3rd Edition. Find the answer at redyechicago.com/puzzles.

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Tracy Morgan (left) and Bruce Willis pal around in 'Cop Out.'
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Buddy lovin'

Meet the newest mismatched police partners

It's comforting, really, in a world of newfangled 3-D "Avatars" and creepy Scorsese thrillers to see that the biggest film opening this weekend revives a faithful, old genre: the buddy cop flick.

We're not saying that "Cop Out," starring Tracy Morgan and Bruce Willis, is going to be a good film—in fact, we're emphatically NOT saying that. But there's something reassuring about a mismatched cop team to give us a few cheap laughs. Hey, one guy is old and one is young! Ha, one is black and one is white! Look, one is short and one is tall!

Let's see how Morgan and Willis stack up against their predecessors—and rate their on-screen bromances on our scale of man-hugs.

ARIEL ALEXOVICH, REDEYE

BROMANCE SCALE


1 MAN-HUG

SLIGHTLY WARMER THAN JAY LENO AND CONAN O'BRIEN


2 MAN-HUGS

ADORABLE OR UNCOMFORTABLE?



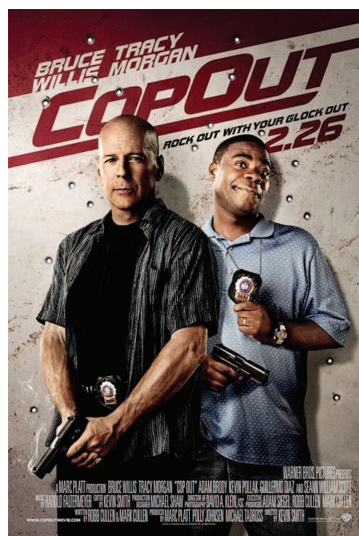
A PERFECT MATCH



THEY COULD BE BROTHERS!



"YOU COMPLETE ME."



COP OUT

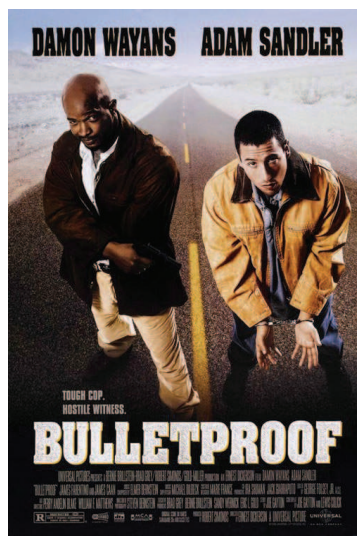
Veteran cop: Bruce Willis

Young rebel: Tracy Morgan

Mission: To find a stolen, rare, mint-condition baseball card.

Supporting cast: Seann William Scott, Adam Brody

Enduring line: It's too soon to tell, but the movie's tag line is promising: "Rock out with your Glock out."



BULLETPROOF

Veteran cop: Damon Wayans

Young rebel: Adam Sandler

Mission: To bring down an evil drug kingpin.

Supporting cast: James Caan, Kristen Wilson

Enduring line: Not so much a quote as the image of Sandler singing "I Will Always Love You" in the shower.



BAD BOYS

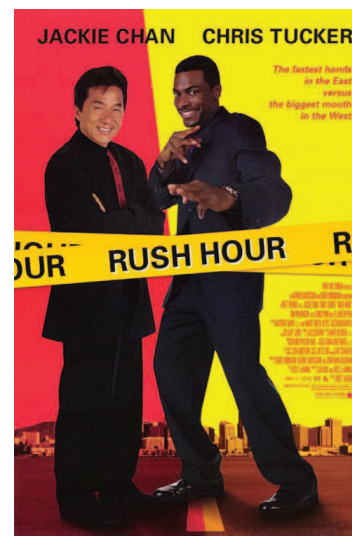
Veteran cop: Martin Lawrence

Young rebel: Will Smith

Mission: To recover \$100 million worth of confiscated heroin.

Supporting cast: Tea Leoni, Joe Pantoliano

Enduring line: "[Bleep] just got real." ("Bad Boys 2")



RUSH HOUR

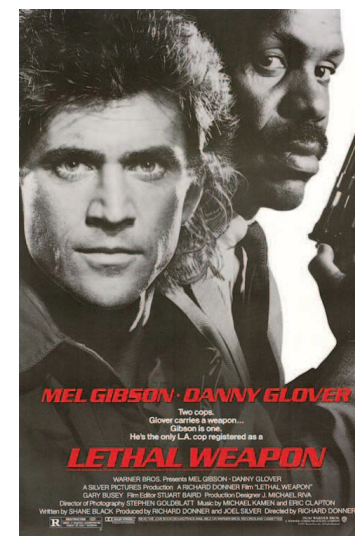
Veteran cop: Jackie Chan

Young rebel: Chris Tucker

Mission: To save the kidnapped daughter of the Chinese consul.

Supporting cast: Tom Wilkinson, Ken Leung

Enduring line: "I'm Michael Jackson, you Tito!"



LETHAL WEAPON

Veteran cop: Danny Glover

Young rebel: Mel Gibson

Mission: To investigate the suicide of a drug-snorting blonde.

Supporting cast: Gary Busey, Darlene Love

Enduring line: "I'm too old for this [bleep]."

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Glambert defends Weir

Adam Lambert says the criticism that U.S. Olympic figure skater Johnny Weir has received for his flamboyant style is all part of being a trailblazer—and the former “American Idol” runner-up would know. “Whenever you do something that hasn’t really been done ... you’re going to get love,” Lambert told “Access Hollywood.” “[And] you’re going to get hate.”



Brooklyn's valentine

Sports Illustrated swimsuit-edition cover girl Brooklyn Decker (above) is

jumping to the big screen.

The 22-year-old model—and wife of tennis star Andy Roddick—will make her movie debut opposite Jennifer Aniston, Adam Sandler and Nicole Kidman in “Just Go With It,” due out Valentine’s Day 2011, according to people.com. Decker, who previously guest-starred on “Ugly Betty,” will play Sandler’s love interest.

“I’m actually unable to see 3-D. I’ve got a weird thing where I don’t see properly out of my left eye, so I truly can’t see 3-D. So I have an excuse [not to watch myself] this time.”

—Johnny Depp to Entertainment Weekly on “Alice in Wonderland,” which will hit theaters Friday



Johnny Depp as The Mad Hatter in ‘Alice in Wonderland’
DISNEY

THE DIGIT

3 That’s the number of singles from the Black Eyed Peas’ “The E.N.D.” that reached No. 1 on the Billboard Hot 100 chart after “Imma Be” took top honors this week. They are the first group to accomplish the feat since Wilson Phillips did it almost 20 years ago.



‘Office’ space

Can’t get enough Ricky Gervais? Good news! The complete series of the original U.K. version of “The Office” is now available on hulu.com, according to nymag.com. You may now commence escaping the doldrums of the office by watching “The Office.”



Rihanna and Matt Kemp
GETTY IMAGES FILE PHOTO

Rihanna’s main man?

Not even the sports-geek haven of talk radio is a refuge for L.A. Dodgers slugger Matt Kemp, who has been spotted in recent months with Rihanna. During an interview Thursday with Fox Sports station KLAC, Kemp was coy and playful in response to questions about his relationship with the pop superstar. “[She’s] a very, very good friend of mine,” Kemp said, according to foxsports.com. “And we enjoy hanging out with each other, and we’re just having fun.”

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